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In Memory.

The grim messenger death and who never returns alone, entered the home of Dr. S. A. Taylor, on Sept. 11th, and climed for his victim his wife, Leo, aged 52 years. Mrs. Taylor possessed many noble traits of character. Her devotion to her family and home was beautiful and was kind and neighborly to all. Her death was due to paralysis, it being the third stroke. Her sickness lasted only about seven hours. All was done that friends and loved ones could do to relieve her suffering. While we feel our loss we know 'tis heaven's gain. We realize too that her death brought sorrow to many hearts throughout the entire country. She was very patient and courteous and rendered valuable service to the people over phone. When her death was announced sorrowing friends came to view the remains of the one they had never seen, but learned to love by communication with her over the phone. She gave herself to the Lord several years ago and lived a christian life. A few weeks before her death came she spoke to the writer calmly and freely of her departure. She expressed herself willingly and ready to go when the Lord called for her. Her only regret was leaving her family, especially her only daughter, Clarice, who is yet young and tender in years, but she said the Lord knew best, and we will all be there after awhile. Her body was conveyed back to her old home place and after an appropriate funeral service by Bro. Bennett was laid to rest in the family graveyard to await the resurrection.

Written by her friend and neighbor.

Public Sale.

Thursday Dec 22, the farm known as the P. C. McCaffree farm, containing 230 acres of farming and timber land, and the following described property:

- 12 head cows and calves.
- 6 head work horses and mules.
- A lot of corn and hay.
- 1 mowing machine and rake.
- 1 Disc harrow.
- 1 Sulky plow.
- 2 Cultivators.
- 2 one row planters.
- 1 two row planter.
- 1 one horse cultivator.
- 3 double shovels.
- 3 turning plows.
- 1 double A harrow.
- 1 section harrow.
- 2 2 3 4 wagons.

A lot of small tools, some household and kitchen furniture and a lot of other things too numerous to mention. Sale begins at 9 a. m. on the premises. Terms made known on day of sale. McCaffree Heirs.

Eld. Jho. Smith, Pittsburg, Kansas, filled the pulpit at the Christian Church last Sunday forenoon and evening. A large audience heard him and it was well entertained.

AGENTS—I want one LIVE REPRESENTATIVE in each Town, City and County of Kentucky. New Household Article. SELLS ON SIGHT. Big Repeater. ACT AT ONCE BEFORE SOME ONE BEATS YOU TO IT. H. Ruby, Dept. 11, 233 W. Chestnut St., Louisville, Ky.

Public Sale.

On Saturday, the 7th day, of January, 1922, I will offer for sale, at the late residence of J. R. Beard the following property:

- 3 head of mules.
- 2 cows.
- 4 hogs.
- 5 sheep.
- 1 wagon.
- 1 Buggy and harness.
- Farming tools of all description.
- A lot of corn and hay.
- Household and kitchen furniture, including a sewing machine and organ.

Terms will be made known on day of sale.

R. L. Beard, Purdy, Ky.

Groceries and Meats.

Full line of up-to-date Groceries and Meats, with prices right, full weight and prompt service. Buy your groceries here and have them delivered to your home.

S. W. Epperson.

Miss Alma May entertained at her home on Broadway, Thursday afternoon, honoring Miss Esther Gschwind of Erlanger who is the charming guest of Miss Lucile Harbison. Delightful refreshments were served. Those accepting Miss May's hospitality were: Misses Esther Gschwind, Lucile Harbison, Eugenia Shelley, Elizabeth Whitmore, Catherine Bourne, Eleverie Cobb, Elizabeth Goff, Anna Denten, Ruth Owens, Margaret Harbison, Lillie Coconougher, Mrs. Fred Owens and Mrs. Henry Sandidge.—Danville Advocate.

Miss May formerly lived in Columbia.

Sale, Sale.

All my household effects and furniture will be sold by Auction on Saturday, Dec. 17th, at 10 a. m. The list includes book-cases, library and dining tables, rocking and dining-room chairs, side-board, dressers, carpets, beds and bedding, sewing machine, lawn-mower, oil stove and three other stoves, various kitchen utensils and many other articles. Also some excellent Hand painted China Sets.

Leslie J. B. Smith, Baptist Parsonage, Columbia.

The Campbellsville Tobacco Market will open sale on Burley Tobacco, Thursday morning Dec 16th. All large Manufacturers will be present and we expect good prices. Our opening sale Dec. 5th. The average will increase in sale. Monday's sale was very satisfactory. Very few rejections. Manufacturing Leaf \$15 to \$30. Re-handling \$7.50 to \$15.00, Re-handling Lugs \$1.50 to \$2.50, Manufacturing Lugs \$2.50 to \$5.50.

Farmers Tobacco Warehouse, Campbellsville, Ky.

Operated On Last Tuesday.

Dr. W. F. Cartwright returned from Louisville last Tuesday night. He reports that Mr. R. F. Rowe, who is in the Jewish Hospital, was operated on about 8 o'clock a. m., same day, and that he regarded him in a very critical condition, though the operation was skillfully done. He further stated that he talked to the surgeons before he left the city and that they informed him that if Mr. Rowe lived thirty-six hours, he would have a good chance to get well.

His Columbia friends are very anxious concerning his condition, and it is home that he will recover and be returned home as speedily as possible.

Salesman Wanted.

To sell E. J. Brach & Son popular line of candies in the following counties: Taylor, Green, Metcalfe, Monroe, Cumberland, Adair, Russell, Clinton and Wayne. Our men who receive liberal commission, make good money. This is a big opportunity for a real live salesman. Must be ready to go to work Jan. 2nd. In answering give reference, and past experience. Call on, or address

Coy E. Dudgeon, State Mgr., Lebanon, Ky.

Arm Broken.

Last Tuesday afternoon Rev. H. L. Thompson, of this place, met with a very serious accident. He was at his home and was out in his lot running after a calf. He slipped and fell, catching on his left hand, breaking both bones of his arm, between the elbow and wrist. Dr. C. M. Russell was called and repuced the fracture. Rev. Thompson is quite an old man and it will take some time for the bones to knit together. It is hoped that his suffering will be light and that his recovery will be as speedy.

Fruit Cake.

8 eggs, whites and yolks beaten separately.
4 pounds raisins.
2½ cups of white sugar.
4 cups of flour—Sift one cup over raisins.
1 pound of figs.
1 teaspoon each cinnamon and spice
1 large cup of butter.
Sift two teaspoons of baking powder in the flour.
1 teaspoon of soda in 1 cup sour buttermilk.
1 big cup of jam.
Add almonds and any nuts you like.
This will make two medium sized cake and is the best fruit cake I know for the price. D. H.

LOST, between Garlin and Columbia an Army Raincoat.

J. W. McGaha, Columbia, Ky.

A New Firm.

Mr. T. A. Firken and Mr. S. F. Coffey, both of this place, have agreed upon a partnership and will open a new store in the Sinclair brick building immediately after the holidays. At the start they will handle groceries, hardware and furniture, and later will embark in the dry goods business. They are men of excellent character, fine business qualifications, and there is not a doubt but they will command a good trade.

Gifts for all which will be put on, not put aside.

Paul Drug Co.

Mr. W. E. Bradshaw, of Louisville, sends us word through Mr. M. Cravens, that in the last three weeks he has met and talked to Mr. Robt. Hudson on the streets of Memphis; that he knows that he is not dead. Mr. E. L. Sinclair, of this place, also informs us that he met Robert at the State Fair in Louisville, in the month of last September. The report came here that Mr. Hudson was killed by a horse, down South, in August.

We are offering a handsome line of clothing—Mens and Boys sizes, in new, up-to-date make and priced right. Russell & Co. 8-21

Mr. M. Cravens has qualified as City Judge of this town and is now on duty. He proposes to hew to the line and show no partiality. We believe he will make a diligent officer, and if he has the backing of a Town Marshal, good order will come to Columbia.

Basket Ball to-night at C. H. S. Gym. St. Marys vs. Columbia Ath. Club. Adm. 25c.

Plays at Lindsey-Wilson.

The Expression department of Lindsey-Wilson will give "An evening of plays" Friday, December 16, 7:30 p. m. There will be three short plays given with interesting numbers between and the public is cordially invited. Admission 25c.

Fruits and Candies

You will find the best line of fruits and candies, with prices right at S. W. Epperson.

Our book-keeper is now going over our subscription list, sending statements to those who are in arrears, and if responses do not come in at once, those who are behind will be stricken from our list. The high price of paper and material bars us from sending the News on time. We necessarily have to collect in order to keep our business going. Therefore, if you want to keep in touch with the news of Adair and adjoining counties, pay your subscription.

We have complete line of Christmas goods in Mens Hats, Shirts, Gloves, Ties, Shoes, Hosiery, etc., bought specially for the Holiday trade.

Russell & Co.

IT WAS AMUSING.

Prof. Pepp and Company Visit Columbia and Were Greeted by a Large Audience.

STANDING ROOM AT A PREMIUM.

The Gym at the High School was packed last Wednesday night, and for two hours the audience was delighted with the renditions of Prof. Pepp & Co., all the characters made up by home talent. It would take more space than we have, to give a full detailed account of the program, as there were twelve or fourteen characters. They are all personally known, and as the citizens of the town were most generally present, that is nearly every family represented, we deem it unnecessary to enlarge on each member of the company, though all deserve special mention. The acting of many were real good, and amusing expressions frequently brought down the house.

Mrs. Irwin Fraser selected the play and those who were on the program, and she made no mistake. It was good all the way through, and each performer came in for words of praise. It was a play full of fun, and as it proceeded, you could look over the audience and see many Buttonbustlers. The first was one character, Miss Margaret Patteson, who played a boy's part, and she acted it so well compliments were frequently heard over the audience.

"Aunt Manerva," Mrs. G. F. Stults, was there, full of life, as well as Pertunia, Miss Katie Murrell, who pulled off many laughable hits.

C. B. Buttonbuster, Horace Walker, kept the audience in an uproar. Polloeman, Albia Eubank, wielded his billy to a good effect.

Prof. Pepp, Dr. Depp, was positive, dignified, in having the rules of the institution over which he presided obeyed.

All the young ladies, mentioned below, sang and acted charmingly. Count Stults was on to his assignment and made not a mistake.

The following young ladies, who had parts, graced the stage: Misses Ailene Montgomery, Frances Russell, Frances Browning, Carrie Grissom, Amelia Damron, Eva Walker, Katie Murrell.

The young men were Dr. H. W. Depp, Albia Eubank, Horace Walker, Count Stults, Alvin Lewis, Melvin Phelps, Fred Callison.

The music was furnished by Mrs. C. M. Russell, Mrs. R. V. Bennett and Miss Frances Russell.

The proceeds of the play go to buy books for the city library, and a goodly sum was raised—\$135.

For the Christmas trade we are offering handsome showings in Ladies Dresses, Coat Suits, Odd Skirts, waists, Silk Underwear, Muslin Underwear, Silk Hosiery, etc.

Russell & Co.

The first quarterly meeting for Columbia will be held at the Methodist church December 18th at night and 19th at night.

T. J. Wade, P. E.

Last Wednesday Geo. H. Nell purchased of B. E. Rowe the latter's residence and seven acres of land, on the Burkesville pike, three miles out of town, for \$1,400. Mr. Nell is now in possession.

Why stand in your own light. Ask your merchant for Radium Coal Oil. Joe Hurt, Agt., Gulf Refining Co., Inc., Tel. 266 Campbellsville, Ky.

Obituaries are not published free in this paper. They are of interest only to the immediate family of the deceased, and we cannot give space to them gratis.

Liggetts Chocolates in Xmas boxes. Paul Drug Co.

The News \$1.50 in Kentucky.

Engine House Completed.

The Chemical Fire Truck is here, the Building, a splendid structure, is almost ready for occupancy, the Fire Marshal's Department and the Insurance Rating Bureau have inspected and approved both the truck and the building. The new insurance rates are in the hands of the printer, the Fire Department is organized and ready for duty.

The Board of Trustees of the Town and the Adair County Fiscal Court have done all that could be expected of them, both bodies have been very generous. A large per cent of the business people of the town have responded liberally, but yet there has not been enough subscribed to pay for this much needed equipment. Every property owner in the town will be benefited but a great many have not made their donation. Those who have not should see G. M. Stevenson or G. R. Reed at once and do your part.

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The Southern and Northern Presbyterian Churches of Lebanon have united which is a stepping stone for a general union over the State. The Northern and Southern Presbyterian Churches split over the negro question about fifty-five years ago, and the members divided and separate synods and Presbyteries were organized. There is no longer any necessity for quibbling. All Presbyterians should be in one body.

Large Line of Jewelry, Silver, Clocks and Ivory, Paul Drug Co.

Mrs. R. F. Bryant, whose maiden name was Victoria Burton, daughter of John F. Burton, born and reared in Adair county, died in Hiawatha, Kansas, September 26, 1921. She was about 55 years old and a most estimable woman. She left a husband and seven children. Her relatives and friends in this county were shocked to hear of her death.

Notice.

All parties owing me notes and accounts please settle same at once. Horace Walker

The postmaster at this place urges the patrons of the office who expect 50 mail Christmas packages, to get them in the office early. If they delay the packages will not reach their destination in time. Now if you want your presents delivered on time, mail them early.

A Desirable Residence for Sale

The W. A. Coffey home, comparatively new and fronts the Campbellsville pike.

Mrs. Lillian Conover 8-21.

The new Town ordinances are now posted and every citizen of Columbia should read and obey them. It is absolutely necessary to enforce them to secure a reduction in rates of fire insurance. Mr. G. R. Reed has spent his time and money in securing this reduction, and he and all other citizens who feel a deep interest in the welfare of Columbia should show their appreciation of his work by obeying the ordinances.

More power, more miles. Ask for that Good Gulf Gasoline.

Joe Hurt, Agt., Gulf Refining Co., Inc., Tel. 266 Campbellsville, Ky.

The fire alarm came from Guy Nell's residence last Tuesday afternoon, and the fire company and engine was soon on the spot. It proved to be only the burning out of a chimney, and no damage was done. Mr. Nell lives out on the Burkesville pike in the residence owned by Mr. B. E. Rowe.

Our Windows will offer suggestions for Xmas. Paul Drug Co.

Adair County News, \$1.50 per year.

Lee Bishop, who is a cripple, and who strabbed and killed Early Vaughan in October, was found guilty of manslaughter at Greenburg last week and given two years in the penitentiary. His plea was that Mr. Vaughan was killed accidentally: that he struck at another man.

Prices Cut.

Dec. 14th to 19th. Bargain week at Goff Bros. Store.

Mr. Chas. F. Paxton, who recently was elected Circuit Clerk of Adair county, will remove his family from Cane Valley to Columbia. He is a most reputable citizen.

You can be supplied at Lewis Young's store, if you are looking for Christmas presents.

The Sunbeam Band of the Baptist Church was entertained last Friday night by Miss Loris Holladay. Hot chocolate was served and the little girls and boys had a most happy meeting.

A real Toy treat for the children at Paul Drug Co.

The Board of Equalizers for the town of Columbia is made up with W. T. McFarland, N. M. Tutt and Ed Shively. It is at work.

Christmas boxes and cards on sale at L. E. Young.

The trying of the new fire alarm last Tuesday afternoon, created some alarm among people who had not been informed that the bell would be sounded. The engine came out and went up Burkesville street, men in automobiles following. The lesson shows that every body in Columbia is ready to do their bit when a fire starts.

Cut Price Sale.

Six big days. Dec. 14th to 19th. Goff Bros. Store.

Mr. B. B. Cravens, a native of Adair county, a brother of Mesdames W. E. Hancock and Fannie Pearce, Cane Valley, died in Lineville, Iowa, a few days since. He was about 90 years old. Benjamin Bomar, the first Sheriff, of Adair county, was his grandfather. His fathers name was Elijah Cravens.

For Sale.

An 6 room house with a two acre lot. This is a desirable piece of property and just outside the town limits. Also 45 acre tract of land 1½ miles of town, in Graded School district. 5 room house, good barn and all under wire fence. Prices right for a quick sale. L. H. Jones.

Boys, do not make arrangements for moonshine or any other kind of liquor for the holidays. Save your money for some good purpose, maintain your reputation for sobriety, thereby making friends instead of losing them. The exhilarating effects of liquor can only pull you down.

Goff Bros. Store Overstocked.

On Dry Goods, Notions, and everything to wear, furniture, Carpets, Rugs. The biggest and completest stock we have ever offered to the trade, Dec. 14th to 19th at Special Sale Prices.

Fire at The Refinery.

The gasoline refinery of the Carnahan Co., caught on fire last Saturday morning, and it took heroic efforts to extinguish it, as it was very dangerous to approach. The damage done amounted to about \$2,500.

For Sale.

I have one Kurtzman piano which I will sell at a bargain, if taken at once. Sam Lewis, Columbia, Ky.

Eugene Edwards, a man forty-five years old, who lived in the Keltner precinct, was adjudged a lunatic before Judge Sinclair, and sent to Lakeside. He has a wife and four children.

HARDING SEES ERA OF PEACE

Hope Rests in Disarmament Conference, President Asserts in Message to Congress.

HELP IN WORLD RESTORATION

United States Will Assist in Restoring Stable Order and Normal Relations; ship—Enactment of Tariff and Foreign Debt Refunding Bills Urged.

Washington, Dec. 7.—President Harding informed congress in his first annual message that "a most gratifying world accomplishment" by the arms conference "is not improbable."

The President's message, delivered in person, is in part as follows:

Mr. Speaker and Members of the Congress: It is a very gratifying privilege to appear before the congress with the republic at peace with all the nations of the world. More, it is equally gratifying to report that our country is not only free from every impending menace of war, but there are growing assurances of the permanency of the peace which we so deeply cherish.

For approximately ten years we have dwelt amid menaces of wars, or as participants in wars, actualities, and the inevitable aftermath, with its disordered conditions, has added to the difficulties of government which adequately cannot be appraised except by those who are in immediate contact and know the responsibilities. Our task would be less difficult if we had only ourselves to consider, but so much of the world was involved, the disordered conditions are so well nigh universal, even among nations not engaged in actual warfare, that no permanent readjustment can be effected without consideration of our inescapable relationship to world affairs in finance and trade. Indeed, we should be unworthy of our traditions if we were unmindful of social, moral and political conditions which are not of direct concern to us, but which do appeal to the human sympathies and interest of a people blessed with our national good fortune.

Need for Restoration of World.

It is not my purpose to bring to you a program of world restoration. In the main, such a program has already been worked out by the nations more directly concerned. They must themselves turn to the heroic remedies for the menacing conditions under which they are struggling; then we can help, and we mean to help. We shall do so unselfishly, because there is compensation in consciousness of assisting a world which is struggling to restore to stable order and normal relationships. In the main, the contribution of this republic to the restored normalcy in the world must come through the initiative of the executive branch of the government, but the best of intentions and most carefully considered purposes would fail utterly if the sanction and the co-operation of the congress were not heartily accorded.

I am very sure we shall have no conflict of opinion about constitutional duties or authority. During the anxieties of war, when menaces were so immediate, there were excessive grants of authority and an extraordinary concentration of powers in the Chief Executive. The repeal of wartime legislation, the moderate expressions which attend the peace proclamations have put an end to those emergency excesses, but I have the wish to go further than that; I want to join you in restoring, in the most cordial way, the spirit of co-ordination and co-operation and that mutual confidence and respect which is necessary in representative popular government.

Harmony Imperative Need.

Involvement upon the functions of congress or attempted dictation of its policy are not to be thought of, much less attempted, but there is an imperative need for harmony of purpose and accord of action to speed the solution of the difficult problems confronting both the legislative and executive branches of the government.

It would be ungracious to withhold acknowledgment of the extraordinary volume and excellent quality of work accomplished by the extraordinary session of congress which so recently adjourned.

Something more than tariff protection is required by American agriculture. To the farmer has come the earlier and the heavier burdens of readjustment. The actual depression in our agricultural industry, while agricultural prosperity is absolutely essential to the general prosperity of the country. The base of the pyramid of civilization, which rests upon the soil, is shrinking through the drift of population from farm to city. For the people we have used, expressing more or less concern about this tendency. Economists have warned and statesmen have deplored. We thought for a time that modern convenience would solve the problem, but it has gone steadily on. Perhaps the grim necessity will correct it, but we ought to find a less drastic remedy.

Need for Freight Readjustment.

The existing scheme of adjusting freight rates has been favoring the shipping ports, until industry has been attracted to some centers and repelled from others. A great volume of economic and wasteful transportation has been created, and the cost increased accordingly. The grain-milling and meat-packing industries offer ample illustration, and the state of transportation is readily apparent. The menaces in concentration are not limited to the retarding influences on agriculture. Manifestly the conditions and terms of railway transportation ought not to be permitted to increase this undesirable tendency. We should be proud in our great cities, but we shall find a greater pride in the nation which has a larger distribution of its population into the country; there comparatively self-sufficient smaller communities may plant agricultural and manufacturing plants in harmonious helpfulness and enhance good fortune. Such a movement contemplates no destruction of things thought of as investments, or wealth involved. It only looks to a general policy of transportation of distributed industry and of highway construction to encourage the spread of our population and restore the proper balance between city and country. The problem may well have your earnest attention.

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the safeguarding of our interests which cannot even be attempted without this authorization. It will be helpful to ourselves and it will improve conditions among our debtors if funding and the settlement of defaulted interest may be negotiated.

Merchant Marine.

The previous congress, deeply concerned in behalf of our merchant marine, in 1920 enacted the existing shipping laws, designed for the upbuilding of the American merchant marine. Through other things provided to encourage our shipping on the world's seas, the executive was directed to give notice of the terms of all existing commercial treaties in order to admit of reduced duties on imports carried in American bottoms. During the life of the act no executive has complied with this order of the congress. When the present administration came into responsibility, it began an early inquiry into the failure to execute the expressed purpose of the Jones act. Only one conclusion has been possible. Frankly, members of house and senate, eager as I am to join you in the restoration of American merchant marine commensurate with our commerce, the denouncement of our commercial treaties would involve us in a chaos of trade relationships and add indescribably to the confusion of the already disordered commercial world.

Our power to do so is not disputed, but power and ships without commensurate relationship, will not give us the expanded trade which is inseparably linked with a great merchant marine. Moreover, the treaty denunciations were necessary, encouraged only the carrying of dutiable imports to our shores, while the tonnage which unfurls our flag on the seas is both free and dutiable, and the cargoes which make a nation eminent in trade are outgoing rather than incoming.

It is not my thought to lay the problem in detail before you today. It is desired only to say to you that the executive branch of the government, established by the protest of any nation, for none has been made, is well convinced that your proposal, highly intended and heartily supported, is so fraught with difficulties and so marked by tendencies to discourage trade expansion that I invite your tolerance of non-compliance for a very few weeks until we may be presented which contemplates no greater draft upon the public treasury and which, though yet too crude to offer it today, gives such promise of expanding our merchant marine that it will argue its own approval. It is enough to say today that we are so possessed of ships, and the American intention to establish a merchant marine is so unalterable, that a plan of reimbursement, at no other cost than is contemplated in the existing act, will appeal to the pride and encourage the hope of all the American people.

Need of Tariff Legislation.

There is before you the completion of the enactment of what has been termed a "permanent" tariff law, the word "permanent" being used to distinguish it from the emergency act which is the law today. I cannot too strongly urge an early completion of this necessary legislation. It is needed to stabilize our industry at home; it is essential to make more definite our trade relations abroad. More, it is vital to the preservation of many of our own industries which contribute so notably to the very life blood of our nation.

Must Be Exchange of Trade.

Again comes the reminder that we must not be unmindful of world conditions, that peoples are struggling for industrial rehabilitation and that we cannot dwell in industrial and commercial exclusion and at the same time do the just thing in aiding world reconstruction and readjustment. We do not seek a selfish advantage, and we could not profit by it, were it possible. We recognize the necessity of buying wherever we sell, and the permanency of trade lies in the exchange of goods. We cannot sell to others who do not produce, nor can we buy unless we produce at home.

Every contemplation magnifies the difficulty of tariff legislation, but the necessity of the revision is magnified with it. Doubtless we are justified in seeking a more flexible policy than we have heretofore. I hope a way will be found to make for flexibility and elasticity, so that rates may be adjusted to meet unusual and changing conditions which cannot be accurately anticipated. I know of no manner in which to effect this flexibility other than the extension of the powers of the tariff commission so that it can adapt itself to a scientific and wholly just administration of the law.

Early Determination Needed.

I am sure about public opinion favoring the early determination of our tariff policy. There have been reassuring signs of a business revival from the deep slumps which all the world has been experiencing. Our unemployment, which gave us grave concern only a few weeks ago, has grown encouragingly less, and now renewed and renewed confidence will attend the congressional declaration that American industry will be held secure.

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As to Foreign Loans.

There is pending a grant of authority to the administrative branch of the government for the funding and settlement of our vast foreign loans, growing out of our grant of war credits. With the hands of the executive branch helpless to deal with these debts, we are hindering urgent readjustments among our debtors and accomplishing nothing for ourselves. I believe it is fair for the congress to assume that the executive branch of the government would adopt no major policy in dealing with these matters which would conflict with the policy of congress in authorizing the loans, certainly not without asking congressional approval, but there are minor problems incident to prudent loan transactions and

such justice in distributing the product of human energy that it has improved continuously the economic status of the mass of people. Ours has been a highly protective social organization. On the way up from the elemental stages of society we have eliminated slavery and serfdom and are far on the way to the elimination of poverty.

Through the eradication of illiteracy and the diffusion of education, mankind has reached a stage where we may fairly say that in the United States equality of opportunity has been attained though all is not prepared to embrace it. There is, indeed, a too great divergence between the economic conditions of the most and least favored classes in the community. But even that divergence has not come to the point where we bracket the very poor and the very rich together as the least fortunate classes. Our efforts may well be directed to improving the status of both.

While this set of problems is commonly comprehended under the general phrase "Capital and Labor," it is in reality a very broad question of social and economic organization. Labor has become a large contributor, through its savings, to the stock of capital, while the people who own the largest individual aggregates of capital are themselves often laborers and engaged in the work of the community. It is extremely difficult to draw the line of differentiation between the two groups; to determine whether a particular individual is entitled to be set down as laborer or as capitalist. In a very large proportion of cases he is both, and he is the most useful citizen.

Rights of Labor and Capital.

The right of labor to organize is just as fundamental and necessary as the right of capital to organize. The right of labor to negotiate, to deal with and solve its particular problems in an organized way, through its chosen agents, is just as essential as is the right of capital to organize, to maintain corporations, to limit the liabilities of stockholders. Indeed, we have come to recognize that the limited liability of the citizens as a member of a labor organization, closely paralleled the limitation of liability of the citizen as a stockholder in a corporation for profit. Along this line of reasoning we shall make the great progress toward solution of our problem of capital and labor.

Just as it is not desirable that a corporation should be allowed to impose undue exactions upon the public, so it is not desirable that a labor organization should be permitted to exact unfair terms of employment or subject the public to actual distresses in order to enforce its terms. In reality, as we are earnestly seeking for procedures whereby to adjust and settle the political difficulties between nations, we must look about for means to settle the differences between organized capital and organized labor within the terms of our own laws which we recognize under the name of strikes, lockouts, boycotts, and the like.

As we have great bodies of law carefully regulating the organizations and operations of industrial and financial corporations, so we must well have plans of conference, of common council, of mediation, arbitration and judicial termination in our governing between labor and capital. To accomplish this would involve the necessity to develop a thoroughgoing system of public welfare, of public affairs. With right privileges, immunities and modes of organization thus carefully defined, it should be possible to set up judicial or quasi-judicial tribunals for the consideration and determination of all disputes which menace the public welfare.

Holds Strike Out of Place.

In an industrial society such as ours the strike, the lockout and the boycott are as much out of place and as disastrous in their results as is war and armed revolution in the domain of politics. The same disposition to reasonableness, to conciliation, to compromise, to the other side's point of view, the same provision of fair and recognized tribunals and processes ought to make it possible to solve the one set of questions as easily as the other. I believe the solution is possible.

After each war, until the advent of the present, has been able to give homes to its returned soldiers, and a large part of our settlement and reconstruction has been made possible by the generous provision of land for the nation's defenders.

There is yet unreserved approximately 200,000,000 acres in the public domain, 20,000,000 acres of which are known to be susceptible of reclamation and made fit for homes by provision for irrigation.

Point to Swamp Lands.

Contemplating the inevitable and desirable increase of population, there is a pressing need of reclaiming full worthy of consideration. There are 73,000,000 acres of swamp and cut-over lands which may be reclaimed and made available for the use of the nation. These acres are largely located in southern states, and the greater proportion is owned by the states or by private individuals. Congress has a report of the survey of this field for reclamation, and the feasibility is established. I gladly recommend federal aid, by way of loan, where state and private participation is assured.

Homeownership is one of greater benefits which government can bestow upon its citizens than any other. It is easily possible to make available permanent homes which will provide, in turn, for prosperous American families without injurious competition with established activities or imposition on wealth already acquired.

There are a full score of topics concerning which it would be becoming to address you, and on which I hope to make a report at a later time. I have alluded to the things requiring your earlier attention. However, I believe this limited address without a suggested amendment to the organic law.

Opposes Non-taxable Bonds.

Many of us belong to that school of thought which believes in the fundamental law. I think our tax problems, the tendency of wealth to seek non-taxable investment, and the increasing pressure of public debt, federal, state and municipal, all justify a proposal to change the Constitution so as to make the taxation of non-taxable bonds. No action can change the status of the many billions outstanding but we can guard against future encouragement of capital by taxation while a halt in the growth of public indebtedness would be beneficial throughout our whole land.

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Packers in Chicago Boost Wholesale Cost of Pork as Result of Walkout.

ST. PAUL ASKS FOR TROOPS

Business Men Ask State Guards When Strike Breakers Are Attacked—Strikers Warned to Keep Away From Kansas City Plants.

Chicago, Dec. 7.—With the nineteen independent packing firms in Chicago the hardest hit by the walkout, both sides in the packers' strike have settled down to a finish fight.

A side issue of the strike which interested the consumer the most was the boosting of the price of pork from 4 to 5 cents a pound at wholesale, according to quotations by packing-house salesmen. The price titling was termed by Russell J. Poole, city high cost expert, "absolutely unwarranted."

Cornelius Hayes, president of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen's Union of America, asserted that far more than 12,000 men would be in the fight today because of the better organization of the picket system.

The packers stood by their estimates of fewer than 1,100 men.

Dispatches from other cities showed the situation to be far more serious there.

Wants Troops Called.

In St. Paul, business men recommended to Adj. Gen. W. F. Rhinow that the Minnesota state guard be called out as the result of an attack by strike sympathizers on a trainload of strike breakers.

Denver reports indicate the packing plants there were completely tied up and that the walkout registered nearly 100 per cent.

Kansas City strikers were told the state police would be called out at the request of the Kansas Industrial court if the state law prohibiting picketing was violated. Strike leaders dispersed the pickets and the day passed without disorder.

Dennis Lane, secretary of the meat cutters' union, asserted that 29,000 workers had struck in the cities outside Chicago.

FIND 23 BODIES IN WRECK

Workers Search Ruins at Scene of Train Clash Near Bryn Athyn, Pa.—Inquiry On.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 7.—Twenty-three victims of the head-on collision between Philadelphia & Reading passenger trains near Bryn Athyn, Pa., have been accounted for. With one or two exceptions, however, definite identification was impossible because of the charred condition of the bodies. Nearly all were taken from the wreckage of the two wooden coaches which caught fire almost immediately after the accident and were destroyed. A canvass of the residents of Newton and Southampton, the two little towns where most of the victims lived, showed that several persons known to have been passengers on the ill-fated trains are still missing, and it is feared that other bodies are buried under the mass of ashes and twisted steel, or were burned to cinders. Three investigations to determine the responsibility for the wreck are under way.

370 GARMENT SHOPS SETTLE

14,000 New York Clothing Strikers Are Back on Job, Union Announces.

New York, Dec. 7.—Fourteen thousand of the nearly 60,000 clothing workers who went on strike November 14 are now back at work in shops that have settled with the unions, according to Benjamin Schlesinger, president of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' union. The 14,000 workers, he says, are employed in 870 shops, and 340 more shops have applied to the union chiefs for settlement. The clothing workers walked out in protest against resumption of the piece-work system.

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On last Friday evening the independence singing class sang at Antioch church, and the audience were unanimous in their praise of such classic singing. Rev. Joe Stotts was song leader. The singing was ensued by a spelling.

Protracted services are in progress at Antioch, conducted by our efficient parlor, Rev. Hale.

Last Saturday night someone rode Tilden Wheeler's mule away from church, and after completing his unwelcome ride, took the saddle off, turned the mule loose and cut the saddle with a knife then threw it in a fence corner, where it was found Sunday morning.

Mr. Walter Compton and family visited at the home of S. B. Wooten, Saturday and Sunday.

We are glad to report the rapid improvement of Mrs. Spencer Wooten in her recent illness.

On Saturday December, 3rd a fast base ball game was played between the Bird school and Rowtown, the latter winning with the score 6-3.

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The escapement wheel of a watch makes 781,000 revolutions every 12 months.

WEALTH IN PUBLIC DOMAINS

Four Hundred Million Acres of Land Remaining Are Estimated to Be Worth \$150,000,000,000.

Washington.—An untapped wealth, estimated at a minimum of \$150,000,000,000 is contained in the more than 400,000,000 acres of land still held in the public domain, Secretary Fall of the Interior department says in his first annual report, covering the fiscal year to last July.

Coal and oil form the bulk of this wealth, the total coal deposits being estimated at 110,000,000,000 tons and the oil deposits at 1,325,000,000 barrels, with an additional 50,000,000,000 barrels of shale oil.

From the development of these resources the federal government, Secretary Fall says, would realize by way of royalties, rentals, etc., a total of \$12,387,500,000.

On the Indian reservations it is estimated there are 600,000,000 barrels of oil at \$3, \$1,500,000,000.

"FREE STATE" FOR IRELAND

British Government and Sinn
Fein Reach Agreement
on Peace.

ERIN TO BE LOYAL TO KING

Consent of Ulster Not Essential, as
Northern Ireland Will Have Option
of Withdrawing in Month and
Have Boundry Lines Fixed.

London, Dec. 7.—The Evening Standard says that the government's proposal for an Irish settlement upon which agreement was reached today, provide for an Irish free state, withdrawal of all military forces from Ireland, and safeguards which will insure peaceful conditions there.

Definite promises of allegiance to the empire by the Sinn Fein is provided in the Irish peace terms, the Central News states. The agreement, it says, is satisfactory to the king in that it involves Ireland's association with the empire.

The agreement reached by the British and Sinn Fein delegates binds both sides to recommend it to their parliaments. It is a formal, detailed and conclusive document, and its terms prevent the necessity of further negotiations.

Ulster O. K. Not Needed.

Should the Daily Eireann agree to the document—and a disagreement is not looked for, as it meets satisfactorily the points raised by the Sinn Fein—it will be embodied in a bill and submitted to the British parliament, which is expected to be called in special session to consider it. The consent of Ulster is not required to make the new Irish agreement effective. She is given the option of withdrawing in a month, reverting then to her present status within territory to be decided by a boundary commission.

While the agreement has been sent to Sir James Craig, the Ulster premier, an unfavorable decision from him will not prevent the scheme from maturing.

Provisional government will be formed in southern Ireland, while the British parliament is considering the agreement.

On the question of allegiance a form of words was found which satisfied both the government and the Sinn Fein. The recognition of Ireland as an independent state is said to be clear.

Full Powers in Erin.

The principle at last adopted by the government is said to have been that of trusting Ireland fully and giving her full power of decision without hampering her by conditions.

It is also understood that an arrangement satisfactory to the Sinn Fein was reached regarding control of Irish ports by the navy.

The agreement was signed on behalf of the government of Prime Minister Lloyd George, Austen Chamberlain, Lord Birkenhead and Winston Spencer Churchill, and on behalf of the Sinn Fein by Arthur Griffith, Michael Collins and Robert C. Barton.

Premier Sir James Craig of Ulster has before him the further proposals for an Irish peace settlement which he announced last week he must receive by today or declare the peace parleys at an end.

An agreement was reached by the British cabinet members and Sinn Fein delegates at an early hour this morning, and a copy of the modified terms—which are subject to the action of the British parliament and the Daily Eireann—was immediately dispatched to Sir James by special messenger. Agreement is Reached.

The agreement, after a session which lasted more than three hours, came as an unexpected justification of the feeble hopes expressed last night after a day of conferences, during which it was at one time understood that the negotiations had definitely broken down, and that only questions of continuing the truce in Ireland remained to be considered.

Little thus far has been learned as to the exact modifications in the government's terms, but it is inferred that some formula concerning questions of allegiance to the crown has been discovered. It is pointed out that the daily Eireann cabinet refused the government's terms only three days ago, and that the modifications must be promising, from the Sinn Fein point of view, for their delegates to present them to their parliament.

Three British and three Sinn Fein delegates signed the Irish peace agreement. They were: British—Premier Lloyd George, Lord Birkenhead and Winston Churchill. Irish—Arthur Griffith, Michael Collins and R. C. Barton.

DRIVE AGAINST GRAIN WEEVIL

American Grain Warehouse's Move to
Eliminate \$25,000,000 Yearly
Loss.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 7.—A campaign to eliminate yearly loss of \$25,000,000 suffered from weevil in handling grain, was announced by representatives of the American chain of warehouses in convention here. Demonstrators will be sent throughout the country instructing warehouse owners as to the most efficient method of marketing products, it was said. A. H. Greeley of Cleveland, Ohio, was elected president of the organization.

PRINCE RENE



Prince Rene of Bourbon, brother of former Empress Zita, handsome, young and related to more than half the royal heads of Europe, is in Chicago as a guest of Edward Hines, the lumber magnate, and is said to be seeking a place with a large lumber or oil concern, with the idea of making his home in the United States. Rene fought with the French and objects to being classed with the Hapsburgs.

BILLIONS FOR THE U. S.

Secretary Fall Tells of Wealth
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"History is now repeating itself," says Secretary Fall, "and after a period of unlimited expenditure in war measures and in preparing for war, in the creation of a navy, etc., it has been found necessary to curtail such expenditures to the very utmost. I am justified in calling attention to the fact that the department of interior—the home department—is fully equipped and prepared to do its part in the development of those great natural resources, which must be so developed, if the burden upon this and future generations is to be borne at all."

Secretary Fall devotes a considerable part of his report to reclamation projects, and in this connection he urges that "an affirmative strong policy be announced by the executive."

He declares the resources of that territory and "the wealth to be drawn therefrom in the future are almost incalculable."

\$75,000 OUT; BOY IS HELD

Youth Says He Gave Package of Bonds
to Another to Deliver to New
York Firm.

New York, Dec. 7.—Following the mysterious disappearance of \$75,000 in negotiable gold stock certificates, Benjamin Fullman, a messenger boy employed by Thompson & McKinnon, was arrested and held on a charge of grand larceny. Fullman told the police he had completed deliveries of stocks and bonds to Wall street firms with the exception of taking the \$75,000 packet to William Cohen & Co., when he noticed the time allotted for his trip had elapsed. He met another messenger whom he knew only as "Joe," who volunteered to deliver the package, Fullman added, and it was entrusted to him.

ARMY-NAVY BILLS PUT OFF

No Congressional Move Until Arms
Question Is Settled Says
Madden.

Washington, Dec. 7.—Preparation of both the army and navy appropriation bills, providing funds for the fiscal year beginning July 1, will be postponed until the arms conference has thrashed out the armament question, Chairman Madden of the house appropriations committee announces.

J. P. Morgan Back From Europe.

New York, Dec. 7.—J. P. Morgan was among the passengers on a liner due to arrive here from Southampton. Mr. Morgan had been abroad for four months.

Ex-Kaiser Denies Betrothal.

London, Dec. 7.—Denial was given at the home of former Emperor William at Doorn, Holland, of the report of his betrothal, says a dispatch to the Daily Mail, from Doorn.

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If you toot your little tooter and lay away your horn, within a week there's not a soul will know that you were born. The man who tries to advertise by short and sudden jerks is the one who's always kicking because it never works.—Hubbell's Individuality.

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Last week we stated in an editorial that Judge Marshall, of Shelbyville, had announced his candidacy for Appellate Judge in this district. This information was gathered from a writer on the Louisville Times. Since that statement appeared we have received information perfectly reliable that Judge Marshall is not a candidate and will not offer for the nomination in opposition to Judge Hurt, who he feels should be endorsed for re-election.

It is a little remarkable how quickly local politics subside. A few weeks ago, in Adair county nearly every body was discussing the county races and predicting the result. You could hear nothing but ins wanted to stay in and the outs wanted in. Now you hear nothing of a local political nature, and every body is in the best of humor.

Among the half dozen prominent Democrats of the State mentioned for the next Governor of Kentucky, is Gen. Jas. Garnett, of Louisville, but he has lived in Frankfort and Louisville for the last eight or ten years. He is one of the best known Democrats in Kentucky, and this part of the State, a scope numbering thirty of forty counties, would support him to a man. There is not a better mixer in the Commonwealth, and there is no discount as to his Democracy. The Green river section of Kentucky would be more than glad to support him. He is a vote getter, and the Democratic party would make no mistake in selecting him for the chief office of the State. He have heard nothing from Gen. Garnett as to his intentions, but should he decide to enter the contest, the News will do its bit.

Joseph P. Tumulty's reminiscences of Woodrow Wilson closed in the Courier-Journal last Monday. No man, it matters not the political party he is affiliated with, read those articles without concluding that Mr. Wilson is a man, one who possesses the tenderest emotions, and whose first love has been and is for his country. If the late President had not been butchered by Republican Senators who hated him for his greatness, the World war would have been settled and settled rightly soon after Mr. Wilson returned from the Peace Conference in Europe. No greater man ever held the reins of this government, nor never will, than Woodrow Wilson.

DECIDE QUICKLY.

Everything that passes before the meeting of the Kentucky Legislature adds to the possibility, we might say the probability, of the Legislature taking hold of the coal taxation problem and peremptorily settling the whole matter by a tonnage tax upon coal.

This is what is going to happen unless the coal men are ready by the time the Legislature meets with an alternative proposal. Of course there is one other possibility. The coal men may put their fate in the hands of certain more or less malodorous lobbyists, and trust to those gentry to protect them from any increase in taxes. The Evening Post knows that the more reputable of the coal men will not do this, and it sincerely hopes, for the good of the State and the good of the coal section, that this will not be done by any considerable number. For a victory in this Legislature, by virtue of the activities of professional lobbyists, would be about the worst thing that could happen to coal. The next Legislature would be certain to do something very radical.

The coal men should do one of two things. They should see that, by the time the Legislature meets, satisfactory assessments on coal lands are assured, or they should prepare to accept a moderate tonnage tax.—Evening Post.

A new prohibition measure will be introduced in the next Legislature. It will make the manufacture of whiskey a felony. The land upon which a still is operated will be confiscated unless the owner can prove that the still was operated without his knowledge.

On the morning of the 6th, fire broke out in the business center of Hazard, Ky., and destroyed property to the value of \$200,000 or \$250,000.

Strong Temperance Speech.

Rev. G. W. Hammond, of Wilmore, Ky., spoke at the Christian church last Tuesday night in the interest of the Anti Saloon League. He is a fluent talker and quite a number heard him. He showed the progress of the temperance people in Kentucky in putting down the sale and manufacture of ardent spirits, and praised the prohibition enforcement officers for the work they are doing. He predicted that it would not be long until the bootleggers and those who illegally manufacture liquor would be effectually driven from the land, or that they would change from law breakers to law enforcement. But it will take activity to accomplish this, as the liquor forces were up in arms in an effort to repeal the Volstead Act. They will use all the money, energy and influence to make the next Congress wet by repealing the said act.

On entering the church the grades of the public school contested, a silk flag being offered for the grades receiving the largest number of votes. The 5th and 6th grades won.

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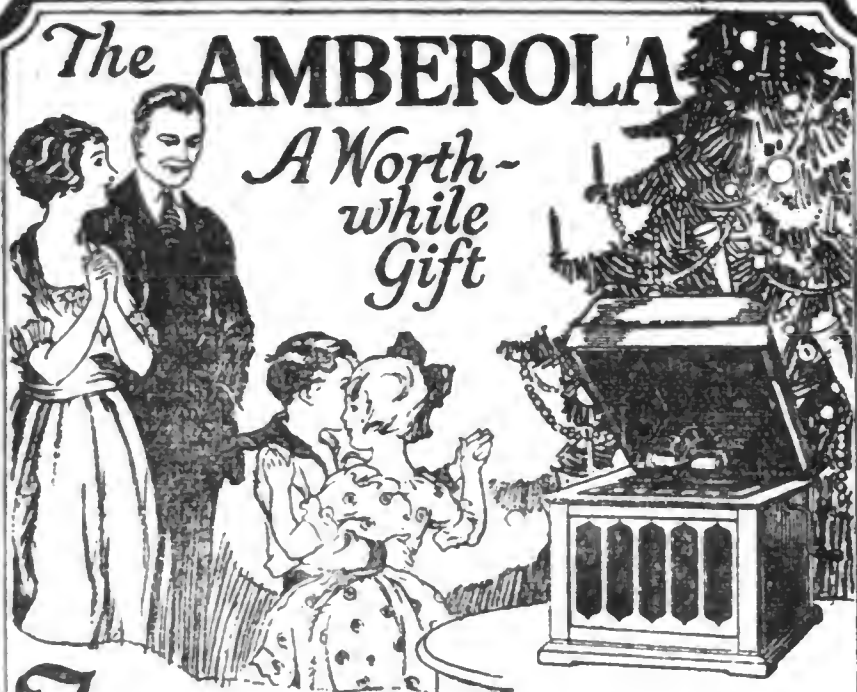
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PERSONAL

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Judge H. C. Baker is reported some better.

Miss Nettie Clarke Grissom is critically ill.

Mr. Jo Henson, Dunnville, was here last Thursday.

Mr. T. W. Adams, Louisville, was here last Thursday.

Mr. Rollin Browning, of Louisville, is here for a few days.

Mr. Ezra Moore, Jamestown, was in Columbia a few days ago.

Mr. Leon Lewis made a business trip to Louisville last week.

Mr. S. B. Dunbar, of Russell county, was in Columbia last Friday.

Mr. E. R. Silvers, Knoxville, was at the Jeffries Hotel last Thursday.

Mr. R. F. Rowe, who is in a Louisville hospital, is reported improving.

Mr. M. E. Burton, Somerset, had business in Columbia a few days since.

Mr. P. A. Staton, Louisville, was seen upon our streets a few days ago.

Mr. Byron Montgomery spent Sunday and Monday with his family here.

Mr. J. S. Breeding has returned to Columbia after an absence of a month.

Mr. F. A. Platt, Creelsboro, was here on special business, a few days since.

Mr. Herman Barnett arrived the first of last week, with a view of hunting a few days.

Mr. V. B. Morgan, Cincinnati, was registered at the Jeffries Hotel a few days since.

Mr. G. W. Whitaker, Louisville, made a business trip to this place, last Tuesday.

Mr. J. W. Vols, wife and daughter, of Jamestown, were in Columbia a few days ago.

Mrs. W. H. Wilson, of Campbellsville spent several days with relatives here last week.

Mr. J. F. Shaw, the popular traveling salesman, of Nashville, spent Sunday in Columbia.

Mr. Eugene Wethington, Clements-ville was with friends here the latter part of last week.

Mr. T. W. Adams, member of the Kentucky Motor Club, was at Jeffries Hotel last Friday.

Mr. S. E. Kerr, a prominent business man of Campbellsville, was in Columbia last Thursday.

Mr. R. J. Lyon and Will Callison, of the Buchanan-Lyon Company, were in Columbia last week, selling automobiles.

Mrs. Helen Crandall, who has been visiting her son, John, in the State of Washington, returned home last Friday night.

Miss Sue Baker resumed her duties at the Bank of Columbia Monday morning. Her many friends are glad that she has been restored to health.

Mrs. S. L. Kinnaird, of Red Lick, who visited two weeks with her daughters, Mrs. G. T. Flowers and Mrs. James Menzies, returned home last week.

Mr. T. W. Sweatt, of Louisville, a government inspector, was here last Wednesday, en route to Creelsboro, to examine a motor boat recently put on the river by J. E. Carnahan, an oil and gasoline dealer.

Mr. S. W. Browning, who left this county ten years ago, is now visiting relatives in Adair county. His home has been in Eldorado, Kansas for several years. He is a brother of Chas. and Sam Browning.

Mr. W. E. Greenway and Mr. Clarence Coleman, the former from Louisville, the latter, Danville, both post-office inspectors, were in Columbia last Wednesday forenoon. Mr. Coleman is also a well-known newspaper correspondent.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

ADAIR CIRCUIT COURT OF KENTUCKY.

N. M. Tutt Plaintiff, vs T. H. Smith & Co. Deft.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the Nov. Term, thereof, 1921, in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Columbia, Ky., to the highest bidder, at public Auction, on Monday the 2nd, day of Jan. 1922, at one o'clock p. m. or thereabout (being County Court,) upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

A certain tract of land, lying in Adair County Kentucky, on the waters of Rock Lick Creek of Harrods-fork Creek, and contains 156 acres more or less and adjoins the lands of Josiah Campbell, George Stone and others, but there is reserved out of the boundry a small boundary known as Bird School house lot, and supposed to contain about one half acre. For complete description reference is made to the judgment, pleadings and order of sale in the above styled action.

For the purchase price, the purchaser, with approved surety or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms. W. A. Coffey Master Commissioner, A. C. C.

WANTED—Parsons and satisfy. Call Mrs. Hamlett, Columbia, Ky.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

ADAIR CIRCUIT COURT OF KENTUCKY.

Greensburg Deposit Bank & Co. Piff vs W. B. Goff & Co. Defendant.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the Nov. Term, thereof, 1921, in the above cause, for the sum of \$200 with 6 per cent interest from the 29th day of March 1921, and the sum of \$318.00 with 6 per cent per annum from the 1st. day of March 1921, until paid, and \$88.00 costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Columbia, Ky., to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, on Monday the 2nd, day of Jan. 1922, at one o'clock P. M. or thereabout (being County court,) upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to wit:

A certain tract of land, on the waters of Blue Lick Branch of Caney Fork of Russell Creek, the greater part of which lies in Adair County, Kentucky. Said tract of land contains 60 acres more or less, and adjoins the lands of Walter Blakeman, George H. Squire, B. W. Penick deceased, T. H. Tutt deceased, and R. Sebastian deceased. For complete description reference is made to the judgment, pleadings and order of sale in the above styled action.

For the purchased price, the purchaser, with approved surety or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms. W. A. Coffey Master Commissioner, A. C. C.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

ADAIR CIRCUIT COURT OF KENTUCKY.

W. L. Farris Plaintiff, vs J. W. Vaughan & Co. Defendant.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the July Term, thereof, 1921, in the above cause, for the sum of \$136.73 with the interest at the rate of 6 per cent, per annum from the 5, day of July 1921, until paid, and \$55.10 costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Columbia, Ky., to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, on Monday the 2nd, day of Jan. 1922, at one o'clock P. M. or thereabout (being county court) upon a credit of six months the following described property, to-wit: A certain tract of land lying in Adair county Ky., on the waters of Caney Fork Creek. Beginning at a stone in the line of Ned and Bob Bridgwaters, S. W. 328 yards to a sycamore. Mrs. Inggrams corner, thence E 81 yards to a stone in said Mrs. Ingram's line, thence a little N E 328 yards to a stone in Mrs. Smith's line, thence with said line west 81 yards to the beginning, containing 5 acres more or less.

For the purchase price, the purchaser, with approved surety or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms. W. A. Coffey Master Commissioner, A. C. C.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

ADAIR CIRCUIT COURT OF KENTUCKY.

H. T. Baker Admr., & others Piff vs Florinda Schoelling & others Deft.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the Nov. term, thereof, 1921, in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Columbia, Ky., to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, on Monday the 2nd, day of Jan., 1922, at one o'clock p. m. or thereabout (County Court,) upon a credit of six months the following described property to-wit. A certain tract or parcel of land lying in Adair county Ky., on the waters of Green River, and containing 57 acres more or less, and bounded as follows, Beginning at a chestnut and dogwood, Barnett's corner on a line of a 53 acre tract of Humphreys, thence with said line S 70, E 86 pole to a black oak pass-



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There is nothing that will bring more joy to a household on Christmas morn. than a FORD Car. Let a FORD be a Christmas present for the entire family this Christmas. THINK IT OVER. Below is the way the time payment plan figures on the Touring Cars less starters.

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TOTAL	440.51
ONE THIRD CASH PAYMENT	146.84
BALANCE DUE IN MONTHLY INSTALLMENTS	293.67
AMOUNT DUE PER MONTH	24.47

We will gladly explain to you how you can secure any type of FORD Car or Tractor on the above time payment plan. Your first payment and also your monthly payment will depend on the style of Car you should purchase. Note our price will always be figured delivered at Columbia.

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UP STAIRS.

COLUMBIA, KY

ing corner to said 53 acre tract of said Humphreys on a double black oak at 64 poles, thence N 21 E 108 poles, crossing Edmon Hardings spring branch to a white oak and black oak, both down, and dogwood marked corner to Martin Waggener thence with his line N 70 E. 86 poles crossing the aforesaid spring branch to a black oak and dead Ironwood on a hill side, thence with Barnett's line S. 21 W 108 poles to the beginning, being same land willed by John Bridgewater to his wife and children by will of record in the Adair County Court Clerks office.

For the purchase price, the purchaser, with approved surety or securities, must execute Bond bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms. W. A. Coffey Master Commissioner, A. C. C.

Type Writer Ribbons.

We have type-writer ribbons for sale, the Oliver, Remington and Smith Premier. Call while they last.

The concrete engine house has been completed. It is a splendid house and was built by Charles Murrell; who lives out of town.

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Buying your Gasoline at Home, where it is Produced, Refined and Sold by a Company who spend Their Money in Developing your County. Give it a trial and Buy CUMBERLAND KING GASOLINE, also try their KERO-SINE. Sold by their Agents at Columbia, Russell Springs, Dunnville and other points.

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The Country Banker.

The country banker, long the envy of his community, is a much-to-be-pitied man in these days of reconstruction. Like the preacher and the doctor the country banker stands close to the daily life of the farmer and stockman. In fact, he often has a far more intimate knowledge of the financial failings of many of his clients than the doctor does the physical or the pastor the religious shortcomings.

The country banker has passed thru a strenuous two years. The era of reconstruction after the World War debacle found him in a most trying position. His customers were hardest hit of all citizens, due to the fact that agricultural products were deflated before and to a greater extent than were most manufactured lines. Consequently the country banker was swamped with requests for extensions and new loans.

It is more difficult by far for the rural banker to turn down his customers than it is for the city financier. The former knows his clients by their first name. He went to school with them, has eaten at their homes. Naturally he takes the financial distress of his customers more to heart as a personal affair.

The city banker does not face this ordeal. He is intimately acquainted with but few of his customers. Most of them do not come to him as individuals but representing so-called "soulless" corporations. With the city banker loan rejection is a cold blooded perfunctory affair, soon spoken, soon forgotten.

The Reporter feels that the long weary road of industrial and agricultural stagnation has been nearly traversed. We may see some time yet in reaching the broad sunlit highway good times and easier money but there is a deal of consolation in the thought that in all probability we have unquestionably gone through the worst of the mire and have only the brighter, better things to look for.

The average country banker will welcome the restoration of normal good times as much or more perhaps than any of us. He has carried a load that few on the outside fully realize.

Mr. Searcy's Views.

Mr. Chesles Searcy, the Republican boss, says that the reason such large majorities were rolled up in Kentucky for Democratic candidates in November is that the Postoffice Department at Washington did not lop off the heads of the Democratic postmasters rapidly enough, and fill the places with "good Republicans." And Mr. Searcy adds that the work is to be accelerated and will go on rapidly in the future.

It may be that Mr. Searcy believes this; we don't know. Our guess would have been that he had a good deal more sense. Of course the explanation is ridiculous. The people of Kentucky have turned against the Republican party, or rather against the Republican machine, for a variety of reasons—all good. The failure of Governor Morrow's administration to equalize taxes unquestionably played a big part. The Blair pardon was simply destructive to Republican hopes of con-

tinued party ascendancy. The growing impression of the part that "race solidarity" plays in keeping the Republican machine above water—emphasized by the fact that a 20,000 white majority in Louisville did not suffice, to win over the solid vote of 27,000 colored voters—also entered in. And lastly, the State of Kentucky, and with good reason, accepted the election of Mr. Searcy himself as Republican National Committeeman as meaning that the Louisville machine has captured the party in the State, and mean to rule it.—Louisville Post.

Ten Reasons for Success.

One of America's most successful retailers recently summoned up the ten reasons for his success as follows, says the "Advertising World:"

1. He kept up with the times.
2. He did not try to do everything himself.
3. He took time for exercise and relaxation.
4. He maintained efficiency by developing able help.
5. He did not permit system to run into red tape.
6. He did not practice cheapening economy.
7. He did the little things worth while.
8. He developed his capacity for large things by avoiding the pitfalls of detail.
9. He took frequent inventory of himself and his stock, and last, but not least—
10. He was a regular and consistent advertiser.

Pains Were Terrific

Read how Mrs. Albert Gregory, of R. F. D. No. 1, Blufford, Ill., got rid of her ills. "During... I was awfully weak. My pains were terrific. I thought I would die. The bearing-down pains were actually so severe I could not stand the pressure of my hands on the lower part of my stomach... I simply felt as if life was for but a short time. My husband was worried. One evening, while reading the Birthday Almanac, he came across a case similar to mine, and went straight for some Cardui for me to try.

TAKE

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

"I took it faithfully and the results were immediate," adds Mrs. Gregory. "I continued to get better. All my ills left me, and I went through... with no further trouble. My baby was fat and strong, and myself—thank God—am once more hale and hearty, can walk miles, do my work, though 44 years old, feel like a new person. All I owe to Cardui." For many years Cardui has been found helpful in building up the system when run down by disorders peculiar to women.

Take Cardui

L. E.

Democrats Made Decisive Gains.

The elections held in various states November 8th would indicate a good beginning in the return to political normalcy. Such a decided drift, occurring in a general congressional election, or in the presidential election would place the Democrats in power. It is true that not a great deal was gained in the election in the way of offices or new power, but much is accomplished for the future by the heartening influence of decided victories in half a dozen states, giving proof that it is easily possible to turn the Republicans out of the House of Representatives next fall.

While the election in New York has attracted the greater attention, those in Virginia, Kentucky and Maryland were very important as showing that the Republican high tide of a year ago has been rolled back, and that all danger of breaking the solid Democratic South has again passed.

Part of this result can doubtless be traced to the President's blunder in going into the heart of the South as the guest of the Southern white people and saying at Birmingham "Whether you like it or not, you have to give the negro political and economic equality." This came when Col. Anderson, the Republican candidate for Governor of Virginia, was running on a platform that called for the removal of all restrictions on negro suffrage in the State. He was defeated by the largest majority ever rolled up in the Old Dominion, even the Slemo district, Republican for years, going Democratic. In a year from now Slemo has to go before the people and overcome a 1600 Democratic majority in his district.

If the result in New York means anything, it means that the Democrats can look forward to the election of a Governor and a full state ticket next fall. A strong young Democratic candidate would win.

Freaks of the Wind

While Garnett and James Bugg were driving along the road near the residence of R. L. Purdom last Friday during the storm, the wind was blowing such a gale and limbs were falling about them, making their further progress dangerous, so they left their horse standing near a fence and ran to the Purdom home for shelter. After the storm subsided, when they returned for their horse they found that the wind had lifted the buggy and blown it over the fence. The horse, still hitched but unhurt, stood trembling with fear on one side of the fence, while the buggy, uninjured was on the other side.—Harrodsburg Herald.

Japan occupies a prominent place among the countries of the world in the possession of mineral springs rich in radium emanations. They are found exclusively in granite regions.

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Veterinary Surgeon and Dentist of a special attention given; Diseases Domestic Animals
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The Woman's Tonic

Sold Everywhere

Fifty-three railway cars were required to carry the furniture of the ex-Kaiser to Holland.



They want the phonograph that's First with the Hits

TODAY'S popular young folks don't want to dance to the hack-tuned tunes of last month. They want the newest—the latest—the best song hits. They want their music direct from Broadway. That's why they all insist upon the New Edison.

Edison is always ten days to three months ahead with the popular music. The "Edison Bunch on Broadway" gets every new song, musical comedy and dance-hit the moment it breaks. Mr. Edison's own marvelous new process of manufacturing makes them into technically perfect RE-CREATIONS in the fastest possible time.

Tests of direct comparison have proved that the New Edison RE-CREATES these hits with Broadway's true pep and flavor,—because there is no difference between the original music and the RE-CREATED music.

delivered to your Christmas tree
for \$ (Fill in your own first payment)

It cost Mr. Edison three million dollars to make the New Edison the perfect instrument it is. You can have it in your home—delivered to your Christmas tree—for any amount you choose to pay as an initial deposit. It need be sufficient only to indicate your good faith. Pay no more until next year. Then budget the balance according to your convenience. Come in or send the coupon for the details of the Christmas Deposit Plan.

Herbert Taylor

COLUMBIA, KY.

The NEW EDISON

NAME ADDRESS

Please send me full particulars of your Christmas Deposit Plan

Dr. Bingham making his comparison

Dr. W. V. Bingham is Director of Research, Carnegie Institute of Technology. He scored his comparison on a Phonograph Comparison Card. Come in, get one. It will help you select your Christmas phonograph.



From an actual Photograph

PHONOGRAPH COMPARISON CARD

How to score:—The original performance of the living artist is the standard by which all reproductions must be judged. Comparison Number 1 and Comparison Number 2 are mental comparisons with the original performance of living artists. Listen to the music, giving yourself up completely to its sway. Mark an "X" for the phonograph which best succeeds in producing the effect indicated.

Comparison Number 3 to 7, inclusive, are direct comparisons between the various kinds of voice or instrument. Decide which phonograph gives the most realistic reproduction of what you feel you were listening to the living artist himself. Mark an "X" for that phonograph. If two phonographs seem to be equal, give both an "X".

At the conclusion of the comparisons, total the number of "X" credits you have.

	Phonograph No. 1	Phonograph No. 2	Phonograph No. 3	Phonograph No. 4	Phonograph No. 5	Phonograph No. 6	Phonograph No. 7	Phonograph No. 8	Phonograph No. 9
1 Impressions of Realism, i.e. which phonograph best succeeds in giving you the impression that you are listening to the real living artist.									
2 Bass Voice Recordings									X
3 Soprano Voice Recordings									X
4 Piano Recordings									X
5 Cornet Recordings									X
6 Violin Recordings									X
7 Banjo Recordings									X
8 Playing Records made for other phonographs									X
9 Emotional Reaction, i.e. which phonograph best succeeds in making you experience the same emotions or mood changes, which you would receive when listening to living artists.									X
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9

W. V. Bingham

This was the NEW EDISON

ON OCTOBER 24, 1921, Dr. W. V. Bingham, Director of Research at Carnegie Institute of Technology, ran a test to determine which is the best phonograph.

Four different phonographs, all well-known makes, were entered.

The New Edison triumphed. Not only did it prove itself the best phonograph in general,—but also best in every single department of phonograph excellence. It captured *all nine* tests.

This proves again that the New Edison is an entirely different kind of instrument. It alone RE-CREATES music so perfectly that there is no difference between RE-CREATED

music and original music. It alone brings the true beauties of the human voice and the human played instrument.

If it is hard for you to believe this, make the same comparison Dr. Bingham made. Hear how Frieda Hempel sounds on the other phonographs; then hear her real voice on the New Edison. Rachmaninoff, too, and other artists have made RE-CREATIONS for the New Edison and records for talking-machines. These all afford you opportunity for true comparison.

Come in. Let us supply you with the same kind of Phonograph Comparison Card Dr. Bingham used. Do this before you decide on the purchase of your Christmas Phonograph.

Phonograph Comparison Cards are free for the asking. Get yours now—Christmas is near.

HERBERT TAYLOR.

Columbia, Kentucky.

Give it to your family for Xmas for \$

FILL IN YOUR OWN FIRST PAYMENT

You pay no more till next year. Then budget the balance according to your convenience.

Send the coupon for full details

Bring or Mail This Coupon

Please supply me, free, with a Phonograph Comparison Card, and give me the details of your Christmas Deposit Plan.

Coal Taxation.

The Louisville Post recently contained quite an exhaustive editorial on the question of coal taxation. We fully agree with our Louisville neighbor that the richest part of the State is Eastern Kentucky, where the wonderful coal fields are located, and that this section pays the smallest amount of taxes to support the State government.

We can go even further than the Post does in its editorial and point out the fact that what comes out of the earth in the way of coal and oil are the only profitable productions of the land, as the cultivation of the soil makes hardly a living for the average farmer. Coal is much higher than before the war while farm products are below the cost of production. The coal fields of Eastern Kentucky have made many millionaires in the last ten years, while the cultivation of

the soil has made no millionaires. They have dollars in the coal areas of Kentucky where we have cents in the farming section. Most of these rich coal producing counties are in the pauper list, that is, they receive more money from the State of Kentucky than they pay into the State Treasury, while the 85 revenue paying counties, those which pay in more than they get out, are agricultural counties, with the exception of a few large cities.

In other words at this present time the counties which are not making any money out of the cultivation of the soil are helping to pay to support the counties which are getting enormously rich out of coal production.

We are not prepared to say whether there should be an increased assessment on the coal fields which are being operated or whether there should be a

specific tax on coal per ton as it is produced from the mines. We have not sufficient detailed information to come to an intelligent conclusion as which of these plans would be better, but we are sure of one thing beyond any question, that the rich counties of Eastern Kentucky, where coal is produced, should bear their just proportion of State taxation which they are now escaping. However, we do not agree with the Post that it should be done because the State needs more money, but rather because the burdens of taxation should be equalized.

We do not think the State needs more money. The revenue of the State has been enormously increased in the last two years by the very heavy increase in the assessment of farming lands. Unreasonable burdens have been put upon the farmers at the very time when the condition of agriculture is at such a low ebb that

it is onerous to bear them. While the revenues of the State are many millions larger under this Administration than they were under the previous Administration the fact stands out that the debt of the State in outstanding warrants has not been reduced.

The State needs economy instead of more money but at the same time there is a necessity for the coal counties to pay more taxes, in order that the agricultural counties shall pay less.—Etown News.

Death of a Prominent Woman.

Miss Amelia M. Crawford, 88 years old, daughter of Thomas Howell Crawford, who was Mayor of Louisville before the Civil War, was found dead in the bathtub of her home, 1,000 South Fourth Street, at 1 o'clock this morning. She had not been in ill health and her sudden death was due to a heart attack, ac-

cording to Dr. August Schachner, who was called after the body was found. Miss Crawford had not been feeling well Thursday, but her condition was not considered serious by her friends or by Mrs. S. R. Shepard, with whom she made her home.

A coincidence is that Miss Crawford was the granddaughter of Jane Todd Crawford, upon whom Dr. Ephraim McDowell performed the first ovariectomy in December, 1809, at her home in Danville, and that Dr. Schachner has just published a volume on Dr. McDowell's life and work. Thomas Howell Crawford was the youngest child of Jane Todd Crawford.

Was Only Child.

Miss Amelia Crawford was the only child of the former Mayor, who, when he was fatally burned in a gas explosion, left her a substantial estate upon his death. Unfortunate investments out of

the estate, however, Miss Crawford often told her friends had left her almost penniless. Despite the fact that she had been reared in the lap of luxury, only to find herself suddenly left with nothing, Miss Crawford never lost her optimistic and cheerful nature. The Crawford family home for years was at Ninth and Jefferson Streets. Mr. Crawford for a long time was president of the Farmers & Drivers' Bank. Miss Crawford was born and reared here.

In connection with Miss Crawford's early life it is of interest to medical men especially, that as a child she was operated upon by Dr. Samuel D. Gross, one of the leading surgeons of his day, who taught surgery at the University of Louisville for eighteen years and later was called to the chair of surgery of the Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia.

Miss Crawford was the last of what was once a noted and wealthy family. She has no near relatives. Attwood R. Martin, 16 Eastern Parkway, and Miss Kate Barbaroux are second cousins.

Forty years ago, Miss Crawford, in company with Susan B. Anthony and Maria Mitchell, the woman sculptor, cast her first vote in Colorado. She had always been a vigorous suffragist.

Funeral services are to be held at the Fourth-avenue Presbyterian Church, of which Miss Crawford was a lifelong member, at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning. Burial will be in Cave Hill Cemetery.—Louisville Times

Public Education.

"What is the new Legislature going to do for public education?" inquires a newspaper in Central Kentucky.

Well, the first thing it can and should do is to provide adequate funds for the University of Kentucky. We are not exactly clear what else it can or should do. The people have rejected the two educational amendments to the State Constitution that would have made it possible to create through legislative enactment a new State Board of Education, with powers to choose a state Superintendent of Schools, and to give something out of the school fund for the poorer counties. With those two amendments dead, it would seem that legislative opportunities for school improvement are small.

In this connection it must be remembered that the last Legislature put through an excellent school program. No longer are county superintendents of schools elected by popular vote, and a local school tax more adequate than anything that had gone before has been provided for. The best thing that the new Legislature can do about education is to see to it that no backward step is taken. Although the proposed amendments lost, there have been great gains in the past few years. Not one of these must be relinquished.—Louisville Post.

In the United States are nearly seven million men and women who cannot read and speak English.

One prick from the poisoned darts, as used in the Malay Archipelago, will cause death in half an hour.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

ADAIK CIRCUIT COURT
OF KENTUCKY.

W. H. Tedder Pitt.
vs
Sherman Haskins Deft.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the Nov. Term, thereof, 1921, in the above cause, for the sum of \$500 with the interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from 23 day of August 1919, until paid, and \$54.10 cost herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Columbia, Ky., to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, on Monday the 22nd day of Jan. 1922, at one o'clock p. m., or thereabout (being County Court,) upon a credit of six months the following described property to-wit:

A certain tract of land lying in Adair County, Ky., on the waters of Green River, containing 12 acres more or less, and bounded on the East by the lands of Henry Evans, on the North by the lands of Henry Grant, on the West by the lands of Sarah Haskins heirs, and on the South of the lands of Frank Neat Jr. and being the same land conveyed by Oscar Evans to the defendant, Sherman Haskins by deed dated the 21st day of March 1918 which deed is now of record in the Adair County Court clerk's office in book No. 34 page 522.

For the purchase price, the purchaser, with approved surety or securities, must execute bond bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms. W. A. Coffey, Master Commissioner. A. C. C.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

ADAIK CIRCUIT COURT
OF KENTUCKY.

Armstrong Mfg. Co., Pittf.
vs
J. C. Fink, Deft.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the Nov. Term, thereof, 1921, in the above cause, for the sum of \$100.00 with the interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 1st day of September 1920, until paid, and \$96.55 costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Columbia, Ky., to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, on Monday, the 2nd day of January, 1922, at One o'clock p. m., or thereabout (being County Court,) upon a credit of Three Months, the following described property, to-wit: One Armstrong Traction Drilling Machine and equipment as follows: All regular attachments, magneto, carburetor, lubricator, friction fan, blower, four heavy buckles, two jack screws, one screw line and drilling line, one guy line stake, all of which is located near the residence of O. A. Grider on the Columbia and Creelsboro road, near the old Postoffice of Bryan. Also one 19 foot dark valve bailer, one 3 inch 250 pound bit, one 4 inch 12 foot drill stem, one solid rope socket, one manilla line derrick with pulley guides, two derrick braces, two derrick supports, one crown pulley, one spud sheave, one blacksmith anvil, one piece manilla rope, one blower hose, two sledge hammers and handles, one tool box, one crank and key, one crank pin wrench, one rope screw crank, two guy line stakes, one drill wheel spoke, one extra dart, two 3/4 inch 350 pound bits, one manilla line jar bumper, one 6 foot by 13 feet dark valve bailer, one 2 circle jack complete with handle and stock, two heavy tool wrenches, one chain tongs, one set of drill jars, broken strap irons and spud sheave shaft for pitman, which will be in the Town of Columbia on day of sale. Or sufficient thereof to produce the sum of money so ordered to be made for the purchase price, the purchaser, with approved surety or securities, must execute bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms. W. A. Coffey, Master Commissioner. A. C. C.

We hope that the report that a number of farmers in this county lost their meat is a mistake.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

ADAIK CIRCUIT COURT
OF KENTUCKY.

H. J. Henson Pittf.
vs
J. I. Curry & Co. Deft.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the Nov. Term, thereof, 1921, in the above cause, for the sum of \$150.00 with 6 per cent interest from the 31st day of March, 1911, and the sum of \$664.27 with 6 per cent per annum from the 2nd day of March, 1920, until paid, and \$104.50 costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Columbia, Ky., to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, on Monday, the 2nd day of Jan. 1922, at One o'clock p. m., or thereabout (being County Court,) upon a credit of six months the following described property, to-wit: A certain tract of land situated in Adair County Kentucky on the waters of Sulphur Fork Creek, and containing about 49 acres, said tract of land lies about 4 1/2 miles from Columbia, Ky. and about 1 1/2 miles east of Garlin Postoffice, and adjoins the lands of J. E. Burton, T. A. Bryant, Clem Hurton & W. A. Coffey, Morris Bros., Octavia Cole, and J. W. Burton, dec'd. For complete description reference is made to the Judgment, pleadings and order of sale. For the purchase price, the purchaser, with approved surety or securities, must execute bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms. W. A. Coffey, Master Commissioner. A. C. C.

You Can't.

You can't insure yourself any more than your house can insure itself. The man who deludes himself that by not taking a policy he is "saving" the money which life insurance would indeed save for him, forgets that his wife and family are running the risk of his death at any moment. Insure now in THE MUTUAL LIFE OF NEW YORK, and your family will immediately be made safe—it would take years of successful labor and persistent saving for you unaided to make them secure.

Daisy Hamlett, Agt., Columbia, Ky.

Twenty-six of the thirty-nine Kentucky counties which did not take in enough revenue during the year ending June 30, 1921, to pay their expenses, have such a heavy school census that the funds spent for schools from the State fund exceeded the revenue taken in, according to figures given out at the office of State Auditor John J. Craig. The distribution of the schools funds is based on the number of children of common school age in each county and then is distributed at the rate of \$6.10 for each child. The largest sum paid out of the State school fund to any one of the so called pauper counties was paid to Pike county.

Notice.

I will, on or after the 15th day of Dec 1921, file with the Governor of Kentucky a petition for the pardon of Willie McAllister, who was convicted of the crime of forgery at the March term of the Adair circuit court 1921. J. W. McAllister.

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Marriage Licenses.

Since our last report the following marriage licenses have been issued by the Adair County Clerk: Jack Watson to Bessie E. Page. Gilbert Smith to Bertha Stotts. Emmet Parnell to Mattie Hill. D. M. Grider to Effie Burton.

Hotel For Sale.

The Hancock Hotel on Burkesville St., for sale. For particulars address or see Junius Hancock Columbia, Ky.

The Bean Sisters, Katherine and Helen, from the Sunny South, entertained at the Paramount theater last Friday night. They are both artists their singing and recitations being exceedingly pleasing.

\$10,000 Ten Thousand Dollar Stock

Of Merchandise Must Be Sold

Ten Days Of Slaughtered Prices

Dec. 14 to 24

Attend this Great Sale and Buy Goods at Your Own Prices. Every Article in the house Cut for this Sale. Nothing Escapes the Knife.

Men and Young Men's Clothing.

Note These Reductions.
Mens \$30.00 Suits \$22.50.
Mens 25.00 and \$27.50 Suits \$19.85.
Mens \$20.00 Suits \$16.45.
Mens \$18.00 Suits \$14.65.
Mens \$16.50 Suits \$13.25.
Mens 12.50 Suits \$8.75.
Mens \$10.00 Suits \$5.95.

Boys Suits all Sizes.
Prices cut one half for this sale, from \$2.49 to \$8.00. A good assortment.
Odd Pants prices slashed to pieces.
Sale prices 98c to \$4.50.
Boys Pants from 65c to \$2.50

Overcoats.
\$10.00 Overcoats \$7.85.
\$15.00 " \$9.98.
\$20.00 " \$13.95.
\$12.50 Boys \$5.00 to \$7.85.
\$6.00 Little Boy overcoats to \$3.95.

Ladies and Misses Coats.
Ladies \$15.00 cut to \$10.98.
Ladies 12.50 cut to \$9.98.
Ladies 20.00 cut to \$14.25.
Ladies 10.00 cut to \$6.95.
Ladies 8.00 cut to \$4.95.
Misses and Childrens Coats from \$1.49 to \$6.50.

Underwear for Men, Women, and children. Prices to suit every one and sizes from 2 to 46. Save money here.

Misses Bloomers.
Sizes 10 to 16 a specialty. Bargain 29c. 3 pair for 80c. Reg. 50c. Value.

Corsets.

A nice lot of corsets of the Best Brand. Such as Madame Grace, College Girl, Warners Rust Proof, and other well known Brands, size 18 to 30, at less than half regular prices.

Dresses at a Big Saving.
Gingham dresses for Women, Misses and Children, 75c up to \$1.25.

Night Gowns.

\$2.50 Fancy Outing Gowns \$1.19.
\$1.75 Plain Outing Gowns .98c.
\$1.00 Misses Outing Gowns .79c.

Fine Muslin Gowns

A Fine Assortment of these Priced Very Low, \$2.00 to \$3.00 Values Only 98c.

Sateen Petticoats.

Assorted colors. Regular \$1.00 Our price 49c.

Shoes! Shoes! Shoes

All Kinds and All Sizes, at Prices Cut to Quick.

Over Shoes and Rubbers.
Articles, All Rubbers, 1 Buckle, 4 Buckle. All Heavy Rubber, One Third Off. All Light Rubbers Cut about One Fifth, and Second Lot Cut One Third or More. Save Money on Your Rubbers Purchased Here.

Overalls

Mens \$1.25 Overalls or Jackets cut to 98c
Mens \$1.50 Overalls or Jackets \$1.31
Boys Overalls from 49c up.
Mens Unionalls, Large Size, Half Price.

Big Reduction on Rain Coats and Slickers.

Sweater Coats.

Mens all wool slip on \$5.00 Sweaters sale price \$2.75.
\$3.50 slipover sale price 1.98
\$4.00 slipover sale price 2.25.
\$4.00 coat sweater sale price 2.65
\$1.25 coat sweaters sale price .98
\$1.25 Jersey sale price .79
Boys \$1.25 coat sweaters .95
Boys \$1.75 coat sweater 1.35
All cut prices on Ladies Sweater.

Shirts, Lots of Shirts.

Mens \$5.00 Silk shirts \$2.69
" 3.50 silk striped Madras 1.98
" 2.00 Dress shirts 1.39
" 1.50 " " 1.19
" 1.25 " " .95
" 1.00 " " .89
" Best Blue shirts .85
" Gray Chambray shirts .71
" Blue extra size 17 1/2 to 19 .90
Boys Khaki shirt .49
" Blue Shirt 49c to 69c

Mens Flannel Shirts.

\$2.00 grade 1.49
4.00 grade 1.49
3.00 grade 2.39
1.25 grade .90
Heavy Cordury coat \$5.00 values at \$3.98
\$12.50 heavy corduroy and Leather Reversible coats \$7.49

Hats and Caps.

You can save big money here on Hats and caps, especially Hats. Don't buy until you see them.

Hosiery.

All Hosiery cut for this sale prices from 5c per pair up.

Furniture and Rugs.

We can save you 30 per cent. on lines a Big assortment to select from. Our regular \$9.75 9x12 cut to \$7.85
\$25.00 Tap. Brussell 9x12 \$18.25.
27x54 Brussell Rugs \$1.98.
27x54 Brussell " 1.49.
27x54 Jute " 1.19.
Big lot of Bedsteads, Springs and Mattresses, Suit cases, little wagons. Also lot of check lines, Bridles, Back Band, etc., etc., greatly reduced prices.

Chinaware.

Decorated Teacups and Saucers Regular \$2.00 grade \$1.65.
Plates \$2.00 grade \$1.65.
DOLLS, A Big Purchase at the right time enables us to sell you \$2.50 Dolls for only 98c 16 to 18 inches. Some dressed. Some Kid bodies, some sleeping.

Piece Goods.

Good yd wide Brown sheeting 9 1/2c
Heavy sheeting 11 1/2c
15c dress Percal 11 1/2c
Gingham 11 1/2c, 13 1/2c, 17 1/2c
Best Feather Ticking 35c
Good Feather Ticking 27 1/2c
Straw ticking 17 1/2c
Bleached sheeting 12 1/2 to 19c
Towel crash 11c
Blankets and Comforts Plenty of them at money saving prices.

Men's and Boy's Collars.

20c to 25c Linen collars, all sizes, correct styles, 9c to 11c.
Mens Linen Wing Collars first quality, all sizes 35c per dozen.
Silk collars regular 35c grade 19c
Flannellette collars and Ties, assort. colors and sizes per set 11c.
Ties, a big assortment of ties, 50c to \$1.00 values, our price 35c and 50c.

If You Love Your Money, Buy Here. We are willing to Divide the Profits and Save You About One-Third on your Investments during this Sale.

GOFF BROTHERS.

Better Than Real Estate.

If you buy land you pay five or six per cent interest on any balance remaining unpaid. Eventually you have to pay that balance too. By insuring in The Mutual Life of New York, a young man can buy for his family an estate of \$1,000 or \$100,000, by paying less than three per cent yearly—little more than two per cent measured by net cost. He thus, at once, provides a fortune for his family, available at his death, or for himself if he survives the period fixed in his policy. No better scheme of laying hold on fortune was ever devised. Daisy Hamlett, Agt., Columbia, Ky.

If you want to select something real nice go to Lewis Young's store.

Eld. Smith, who filled the pulpit at the Christian Church last Sunday, is a brother of Mrs. Z. T. Williams, this place.

Entertainment at Milltown school-house, Friday night Dec. 16. Adm. 15c.

Dr. W. J. Flowers purchased coupe from Robt. Lyon, who represents the Buchanan Lyon Company, last Wednesday. It is a beautiful machine.

Get
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Chocolates

"THE APPRECIATED CANDIES"

AT OUR STORE TO-DAY
We sell so many of these famously good chocolates that we can always supply any of the Johnston popular assortments. And always Fresh. These are the kind you see advertised in THE SATURDAY EVENING POST and are What She Wants!

HIGGINBOTHAM'S
CREELSBORO, KY.

Mr. Virgil Collins is now the Marshal of the town of Columbia. He proposes to do his duty, and in so doing the town will back him.

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The World's Greatest Drink
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Now 5c.

Why Drink Inferior substitutes. Bottled in Sterilized "Safety First" Patent Bottles.

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We learn from some of the young people that there will be a number of young ladies who will visit Columbia during the holidays, and that there will be many meets for social enjoyment.

Don't fail to see Young's, Christmas Adv.

Get ready for Santa Claus. Do not wait until all the nicest presents have been sold. Buy your gift now and lay it away until Christmas Eve.

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At Highest Price

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